

Important: Please REJECT! this Bill.

As a concerned consumer I decided I would read HR-4026. Nothing in that bill states a valid reason for keeping satellite radio from broadcasting local content.

1. My Radio is in my truck therefore it runs off batteries.
2. There are battery powered XM Radio's.
3. Adding Local Programming to satellite radio will not be the downfall of free local radio. And there is nothing to support that statement in the bill.
4. Competition forces higher quality delivery and programming. Digital Radio equipment exists for standard delivery techniques yet no one has adopted it yet.
(simple: You can transmit Digital Radio over FM and there is commercial equipment available.)
5. I'm paying for the service why can't they offer it to me.

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